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**REMARKS**

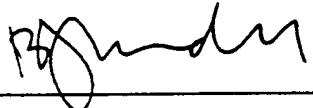
The specification has been amended to include the attached revised Sequence Listing. No new matter has been added. Attached is a Rule 52 Transmittal Letter. The attached compact discs have been labeled according to Rule 52(e)(6).

Nothing further is believed to be required at this time however the Office is requested to contact the undersigned if otherwise.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED UP SPECIFICATION

Page 1, delete the second paragraph:

"The contents of the attached CD-R compact discs are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety. The attached discs contain an identical copy of a file "SEQ2.TXT" which were created on the discs on December 13, 2000, and are each 25,891 KB."

and insert the following therefor:

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